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SUBJECT: PRESS SPECULATION ON PEREZ DE CUELLAR VISIT AND THE  
SISMIK I

1. THE JULY 13 TURKISH PRESS FEATURED SPECULATION ON THE  
VISIT OF CYPRUS UN SPECIAL REPRESENTATIVE PEREZ DE CUELLAR  
AND ON ALLEGED U.S. EFFORTS TO DELAY THE SAILING OF THE  
TURKISH SEISMIC RESEARCH SHIP SISMIK I.

2. MILLIYET REPORTED THAT FOREIGN MINISTRY SOURCES (UNIDENTIFIED)  
HAD DENIED REPORTS THAT PEREZ DE CUELLAR, WHO IS  
SCHEDULED TO ARRIVE IN ANKARA JULY 13, WOULD REQUEST  
A MAP SHOWING AREAS WHERE TURKS WOULD GRANT TERRITORIAL  
CONCESSIONS IN CYPRUS. THE SOURCES REPORTEDLY COMMENTED  
THAT PEREZ DE CUELLAR "HAD NO RIGHT" TO MAKE SUCH A REQUEST  
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AND THAT THE GREEKS THEMSELVES HAD YET TO PROVIDE A MAP.

3. LEFTIST CUMHURİYET'S MAJOR STORY STATED THAT THE GOT HAD ACQUIESCED TO ALLEGED U.S. REQUESTS FOR A TWO WEEK POSTPONEMENT OF THE SİSMİK I'S SAILING DATE. ACCORDING TO THE ARTICLE, THE GOG USED ITS NATO ALLIES IN ANKARA TO INFORM THE GOT THAT THE SEISMIC SHIP WOULD BE SUNK IF IT ATTEMPTED EXPLORATIONS IN THE AEGEAN.

4. MILLİYET ALSO REPORTED THAT THE PURPOSE OF THE NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL MEETING JULY 13 WOULD BE TO DISCUSS, AMONG OTHER TOPICS, THE ENTRY OF THE SİSMİK I INTO THE AEGEAN.  
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